

Senegal

INVESTMENT SUMMARY



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Overview: Country program established in 1986. The program focuses on marginalized community groups, particularly projects with value-adding processing in Senegal. USADF currently manages a portfolio of 17 projects. Total commitment is \$2.39 million.



Grantee	Duration	Value	Summary
Gambia Valley Producers Association (APROVAG) 1841-SEN	2008-2013	\$244,750	Food Production (Bananas): APROVAG is an association of 1,250 banana farmers. The USADF project is designed to help improve their irrigation system, learn organic composting techniques, strengthen their financial management skills, and implement a marketing campaign.
Senegalese Association of Research, Survey, and Development Support (ASREAD)/ GIE Bokk Doole 1883-SEN	2008-2013	\$225,021	Food Production (Cassava, Peanuts, Onions): Bokk Doole is a horticulture cooperative trying to improve its production and marketing capacity. Specifically, Bokk Doole is using USADF funds to purchase agricultural inputs, provide extension services to members, and improve its management skills.
Caisse d'Épargne et de Crédit de Mpal 2138-SEN	2010-2013	\$152,871	Microfinance (Farmers, Livestock, Youth): The purpose of the project is to improve MPAL's ability to provide financial services to marginalized residents near St. Louis. Major activities are to provide management training and microfinance software, as well as a line of credit.
GIE Experimentation and Modernization in Agriculture (EMAG) 2209-SEN	2010-2013	\$219,620	Food Production (Vegetables): EMAG is an organization 97 small farmers who live near Boraya village in Sedhiou. Nearly all residents of the village depend on agriculture for their livelihoods. The project enables EMAG to establish an irrigation system, build a fence around its field, and procure additional seeds and fertilizers.
Association de Lutte Contre l'Exode Rural (ASSOLUCER) 2350-SEN	2011-2015	\$208,589	Food Production (Sesame) : ASSOLUCER is a federation of over 100 village level Economic Interest Groups, representing over 3,000 sesame farmers. USADF provided a capacity building grant in 2008, and the current project builds on ASSOLUCER's improved management systems. ASSOLUCER uses project funds to provide improved seeds and extension services to farmers, generating greater yields. ASSOLUCER will also initiate a marketing campaign to improve revenues and incomes for farmers.
GIE Tekki 2411-SEN	2011-2013	\$99,094	Agro-Processing (Mixed Cereal Grains): GIE Tekki is a group of 65 women who produce couscous and other processed cereal products in Richard Toll. Production is limited by a lack of a working capital and dependence on manual processing. USADF funding is used to build financial, administrative, and organizational capacity, to set up a production and storage facility, and build the technical skills to enable members to produce better quality products and have access to larger markets.
GIE Lao Développement 2419-SEN	2011-2013	\$77,436	Cereal Bank (Rice and Cowpeas): The GIE is owned by its 343 members. The area is isolated and lacks access to markets. The grant established a cereal bank to improve food security in Ile-a-Morphil, in northern Senegal where the local population suffers from chronic food shortages between harvests.
GIE Koba Club 1 2478-SEN	2011-2014	\$193,442	Agro-Processing (Fonio): Koba Club 1 is a 24 women-member group that specializes in the processing of agricultural and forest products. USADF funds are used to increase Koba Club's production capacity by providing additional working capital, production equipment, and an HACCP-compliant production facility.

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GIE Femmes de Tamakh 2526-SEN	2011-2013	\$84,904	Food Production (Rice): The GIE facilitates the provision of agricultural input credit and collective rental of a tractor and irrigation pump for its 33 members (29 women). USADF funding provides training, technical assistance, irrigation equipment and rice milling equipment to improve incomes and food security of residents of Tamakh..
GIE ADESA 2527-SEN	2011-2013	\$91,676	Food Production (Rice): GIE ADESA is comprised of 50 rice producers (20 women) who are currently unable to meet the local market demand. The grant provides training, technical assistance, irrigation equipment and rice milling equipment to improve the incomes and food security of residents of Mboubene in northern Senegal.
GIE Union Locale de Diawar 2600-SEN	2012-2015	\$ 245,123	Food Production (Rice): The Union Locale de Diawar consists of 989 rice farmers in 15 villages. The project provides a tractor to provide mechanical plowing services for the 600 hectares of member-owned land. The union uses USADF funds to purchase a rice hulling unit to increase quality and market value, providing members with improved incomes and food security.
Association Nafooré de Mboumba 2638-SEN	2012-2015	\$113,790	Food Production (Vegetables): Nafooré de Mboumba is an association of 600 women horticulture producers. Production is constrained by poor equipment and a need to develop the land for improved production. USADF funds allow the women to produce vegetables year round to alleviate food insecurity through irrigation, access to inputs, training and technical assistance.
GIE Weyndé Dieng 2702-SEN	2012-2014	\$85,012	Food Production (Vegetables): USADF grant funds help GIE Weyndé Dieng to develop ten hectares of land to improve vegetable production for the 110 members in the Walaldé commune. The USADF grant provides an irrigation system, inputs, tools, training and technical assistance to provide income and food security for local residents.
GIE Jubo Handicapés 2755-SEN	2012-2014	\$82,046	Food Production (Eggs): Jubo is a persons with disabilities group comprised of 21 members (11 women) engaged in poultry production. USADF funds strengthen administrative and financial management capacities, procure equipment for chicken raising, provide working capital and develop long term strategies to help the group improve members' livelihoods.
GIE Yani Guibandia 2758-SEN	2012-2014	\$79,254	Food Production (Vegetables): GIE Yani is cooperative of 69 Ballantes women interested in promoting incomes and improving community nutrition. USADF funds are used to purchase a motor pump, agricultural inputs, and tools for the garden, provide improved production and marketing training, improve technical knowledge, and develop resources to build capacity in financial and administrative management systems.
Association Africaine des Personnes Handicapées pour le Developpement (APHAD) 2825-SEN	2013-2015	\$83,171	Artisan Goods: APHAD is an association of 40 members supporting persons with disabilities (23 women). The association works to create income opportunities, spread awareness, and better integrate persons with disabilities into the economic and social development of Senegal. The USADF grant supports improving production in sewing, coffee processing, and shoemaking activities as well as builds the organizational and management capacities of the association.

